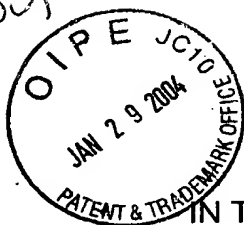


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Wordell Nelson, et al.
For: : **FLASHLIGHT WITH LIGHT EMITTING
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RESPONSE

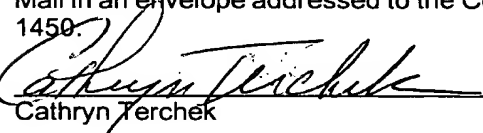
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Dear Sir:

The following is provided in response to the Office Action mailed December 23, 2003 in connection with the above-identified application. All of the issues raised by the Examiner have been addressed. Consequently, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application, withdrawal of all rejections of the pending claims, and passage of the case to issue in view of the remarks set forth below.

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